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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Frank Stunnenberg, Perla Duchesne, and Jurgen H. Raddatz

Serial No.: 09/624,286

Group Art Unit: 1764

Filed: July 24, 2000

Examiner: E. McAvoy

For: USE OF POLYALPHAOLEFINS (PAO) DERIVED FROM DODECENE
OR TETRADECENE TO IMPROVE THERMAL STABILITY IN ENGINE
OIL IN AN INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE

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FC 1100 MAIL ROOM

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR RESPONSE
WITHIN FIRST MONTH

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for filing an Amendment in the above-identified application now due March 14, 2001, be extended one month to expire April 14, 2001.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee of \$110.00 for this request to Deposit Account 50-1629.

This request is made in good faith and not for purposes of delay.

Respectfully submitted,

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